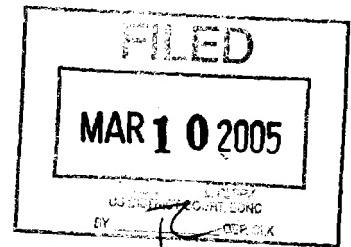


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NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

Pursuant to Local Rule 44.1(b), the Federal Public Defender for the Eastern District of North Carolina hereby notifies this Honorable Court that said attorney is representing the above named defendant in this criminal case.

Furthermore, by filing of this Notice of Appearance, the Federal Public Defender for the Eastern District of North Carolina certifies that copies of said Notice have been served upon:

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Respectfully submitted this 10th day of March, 2005.

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